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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
SHUSHI IKEDA, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
NEW NON-PROVISIONAL :  
APPLICATION :  
FILED: HERewith :  
FOR: HIGH-STRENGTH FORGED PARTS :  
HAVING HIGH REDUCTION OF :  
AREA AND METHOD FOR :  
PRODUCING SAME :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.